

Godfrey Rhodes, Esq., has disposed of his

MAALARIA—being the purchaser.

LETTERS—During the past week of two months thirty persons afflicted with this disease have been brought to Honolulu for examination. They were sent to Malakal on Thursday last.

CHALLENGE—The *Challenger* got outside the reef, at Wednesday, and sped on its way to the leeward of the entrance to the harbor dredging for specimens and, and adjusting her compass.

BASE BALL—The regular game for the Championship will be played this afternoon on the plains between the "Pacifiers" and "Whangdooles," commencing at half past three. As both clubs seem to be in good practice, a closely contested game may be expected.

NAVY—The U. S. S. *Porpoise*, Admiral Almy sailed from Malakal Bay (*Mauia*) on Tuesday last for Hilo, Hawaii. H. D. M. S. *Requin*, Admiral Oglethorpe, arrived at Kaulakaka Bay on Wednesday last, from Hilo. It was expected that she would visit

ALMOST A FIRE—On Tuesday afternoon last the dwelling of Mr. Herrick on Garden Lane, came near being burned down. A child had been left in the house and, in some way got matches, setting fire to the bed, which quickly spread to the side of the building. Fortunately the fire was extinguished by some natives, who happened to be near at the time, but not until considerable damage had been done.

to the foot streets, which was purchased some time since by the Goto Temples, is rapidly being demolished to give place to a new and substantial building, which will hereafter be known as Goto Temples Hall. The old main building was formerly a notorious retail grog shop, but has lately been occupied as a tenement. The long building adjoining the main building will be a great improvement to that neighborhood.

A FRESH ERUPTION ON MAUNA LOA.—By the arrival last evening of the steamer *Kilauea* from Hawaii, we learn that shortly after sundown on Wednesday evening last, the summit crater of Mauna Loa was discovered to be in a state of great activity; all that night the reflection on the sky of the immense body of fire that alternately reddened and paled as the lava jets rose and fell, is said to have been magnificent beyond description. In crossing the channel to Maui on Thursday night, the light of the volcano was very plainly to be seen from the deck of the steamer. The summit crater of Mauna Loa can hardly be expected to erdow, but it is quite probable that the great body of lava which is pent up in the mountain will make a vent for itself on the side, as it has done on several previous occasions, and that it will herald a new flow.

—H. B. Mc. Intosh's discovery ship *Challenger*, which has been in our port a few days, called on the

proceeds first to Tahiti, and will, as she sails, continue her deep sea soundings. She will after a short stay in the Society group, sail for Valparaiso, at which port she is expected to remain till the end of November. She will then proceed down the South American coast, through the Straits of Magellan, touch at the Falkland Islands, and subsequently visit the interesting Island of Tristan d'Aeunha. This curious spot is mid ocean, first settled by a runaway soldier, named Gieser, from the British frigate *Leopard*, who got a wife at the Cape of Good Hope, and who peopled the island with his children and grand-children to a number nearly one hundred, is now a British coal station, and its present Governor is named Green. The *Challenger*, after leaving Tristan d'Aeunha, will proceed to Amsterdam Island, thence to the Cape de Verde Islands, and thence thence to England, where she is expected to arrive some time about next June.

MA Editor.—Dear Sir:—The subject of the
 Hawaiians using intoxicating drinks is attracting the
 attention of the whole community at the present
 time. I will venture to relate a little accident that
 happened yesterday in Honolulu, leaving your readers
 to draw any conclusions they may see fit from the
 facts. Yesterday afternoon, on passing down Ka-
 huanui street, I saw a Chinaman head a native two
 bottles, which he hid under his pea-jacket, and then
 proceeded to drink. He was put in the same place
 I followed the two natives, and saw him take a
 horse and rode off. On the corner of Nuuanu and
 King streets, I gave them the notice of the police, and
 they fled. I followed them for some distance, and
 two of brandy were found under the jacket of the
 natives. The Chinaman admitted giving the liquor
 to the men, but added that he gave it to them to
 keep them from drinking. He was taken to the
 Chinaman. Our statute is very explicit. If
 any person who shall sell or furnish to a native Hawaiian
 intoxicating liquor shall be fined, &c. Now, if
 the Chinaman is not guilty, he is not liable.

surprising, then I would like to know what it is. The excuse that they were taking it to his house is a very poor one. The Chinese people, and the Chinese Chinaman tried, but the officer declined to have me do so. All those familiar with the Hawaiians in Honolulu know that it is through the class of Chinamen that the natives obtain their food and clothing. The nation. If they can furnish it to them in our public streets, and escape by saying that "I was not doing it" is my house by my men," I will have no more to say. The Chinese are the ones who are the worst of the race that are made to produce. From these wretches, blotted from the Statute book, or let us have them executed so as to punish the law-breakers who are their protectors.

I remain, yours truly,
J. PORTER GREEN.

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After a lapse of three years, a re-visit to the exhibition exhibits, on the whole, some material improvement. There is much more planted in cane, and

are talking confidently of still farther extending their operations and of bringing new tracts under cultivation. In the village, snug and pretty vine-covered cottages are more numerous, and as a good sign of enterprise and a firm faith in Waikuku's future, I note that a number of new streets have been laid out. (I did not ask the price of town-lands, but I saw that they were sold for a shilling an acre.) The city of the Kingdom, are apparently well content and happy to pass their lives in its quiet and peaceful precincts, and as they listen to the tales of the olden days, they lavish their smiles along the sides of the streets, they dream dreams of the wonderful prosperity that is to come with the new epoch.

At the mouth of a new plantation about to be started in Hakawoo, of some 1500 acres of excellent land, situated not far from the Hakulaka Boys School, the owners are Capt. Joe Makae and others. Plots of land are being sold for £1000 an acre.

The *Pensacola* left Luluaba on Monday morning and went south to Menke's landing. The Admirals and officers have been visiting the hospital, and the sick and wounded are being sent to the hospital at Maalewa, and every vehicle and addi-tion to this region "around about" will be put to requisition to bring the gallant Admiral and his suite safely to the capital.

There is no interference between the landing and Maalewa at Waikuku. The ship will remain at Maalewa for a few days, before leaving for Hilo, and the Admiral will not be able to visit the capital. He will have to entertain their distinguished visitors. I hear there will be a "reception" at Good Tem-ple, and that every body and his wife will have a share in the opportunity.

There are many houses and picnics of course, and excursions to Iae-ley, etc.

On the night of the (sugar) gods have not begun to stir and will yet, but they do not stir. The ship will be coming back.

THE ADMIRAL'S VISIT.

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